(ii) The proposed system shall have been in continuous satisfactory service on offshore for a minimum period of 2 years.

(iii) They should carry current certification by approved agencies for their equipment.

(iv) The equipment shall have been type tested by a certifying agency.

4. The suggested vendor list for Solar Photovoltaic Systems is as under:—

(i) Tata BP Solar, India

(ii) BHEL, India

(iii) Tideland,USA

(iv) API, USA

(v) Central Electronics Ltd., India.

Allotment of kerosene to U.P.

5080. SHRI HARENDRA SINGH MALIK: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether kerosene is likely to be allotted to Uttar Pradesh and Haryana in proportion to the national average;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the quota of kerosene is proposed to be increased in view of the increasing population and the dependence of the rural people on kerosene;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH GANG WAR): (a) to (e)The Government has allocated 12,61,121 MT and 1,55,928 MT of kerosene under Public Distribution System for the year 2001-2002 to the States of Uttar Pradesh and Haryana, respectively. Allocation to various States/Union Territories for the year 2002-2003 has been made on historical basis keeping in view the additional LPG connections given to the States/Union Territories. State Governments are expected to rationalise the distribution of kerosene to the ration card holders and review allocation to persons having LPG connections. The Governments should accord priority to the requirements of the needy persons including rural people.